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Men who live in agricultural communities and know something about the trials of the average farmer get somewhat tired of the talk about "back to the farm" indulged in mainly by persons who never had any experience and have little knowledge of farm life. Thus spoke Senator McCumber of North Dakota in the senate during a recent debate.

"I have heard this song of 'back to the farm' ever since I have been in the senate. It is an annual song, and its echoes never die, but I have never yet seen any good result from it. Population will always drift to the center of the greatest remuneration for labor. That is a law you cannot change."

Other senators discussed the subject of why young men did not follow their fathers in the occupation of farming, but the average young and intelligent boy who can do anything else is generally sick of the farm by the time he is big enough to do anything else.

Envy.

"Oh, dear, I wish I was a turtle!" "What an absurd idea! Why?" "A turtle has a snap."—Exchange.

PITCHED BATTLE FOURTEEN SHOT

Special to Dispatch:

Roosevelt, N. J., Jan. 19, 2:42 P. M.—Fourteen men were shot, four mortally wounded, in a pitched battle between 250 striking laborers and fifty deputy sheriffs at the plant of the American Agricultural Chemical Company here today.

HEAVY FIGHTING AROUND YPRES

Special to Dispatch:

Amsterdam, Jan. 19, 1:30 P. M.—Heavy artillery fighting has been heard since early Monday around Ypres where Germans have taken the active offensive, their efforts to occupy Ypres thus far being unsuccessful. Many fresh British troops have arrived at this front.

SECOND QUAKE IS REPORTED

Special to The Dispatch:

Rome, Jan. 19, 1:30 P. M.—News reached here today stating that a strong earthquake has occurred in Calabria and especially in Croseza Capital Province. It is not known whether there has been loss of life or serious damage to property.

NONPARTISAN BILL REFUSED

North Dakota House Committee Opposes Election Measure.

Bismarck, N. D., Jan. 19.—The house voiced its disapproval of nonpartisan county and legislative elections when the committee of the whole recommended such a bill for indefinite postponement. The first senate bill considered in the house provided a penalty for making false bank statements and was passed without opposition.

Representative Hjeltnest offered a resolution asking congress to pass a law prohibiting the carrying of advertisements of intoxicating liquor in United States mail.

In the senate a resolution proposing a proclamation be issued by the governor calling for a general thanksgiving and prayer and halting of business for five minutes before noon Feb. 17 to celebrate the century of peace with England carried after considerable debate.

MILES CITY FIRE COSTS LIFE

Fireman, Overcome by Dense Smoke, Falls Dead.

Miles City, Mont., Jan. 19.—The death of one fireman and five horses and property destroyed or damaged to the extent of about \$25,000 was the result of fire in the Jordan & Pearson livery stable.

Glen Morrison, a fireman, who carried a fire hose into the burning building, was suffocated with smoke and fell dead.

The property was owned by the Merchants' Mercantile association and leased to Jordan & Pearson, who operated a big livery and feed stable. Many costly vehicles and four funeral wagons were destroyed. The building is a total wreck.

PROVIDES WORK FOR IDLE

Superior Commission Orders Clearing of 100 Acres of Land.

Superior, Wis. Jan. 19.—Urged by professional and business men to provide work for nearly 100 unemployed heads of Superior families the city commission arranged to clear 100 acres of municipal lands.

The decision was reached following a heated session of the commission with the workmen and their supporters, who asserted the right of every willing man to work.

JEW REFUGEES DESTITUTE

Arrival of 6,000 at Alexandria, Egypt, From Palestine.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Official dispatches to the state department reported the arrival at Alexandria, Egypt, of 6,000 Jews from Palestine. Seventy-five per cent of them were Russians and the remainder British and French. More than 4,000 were said to be destitute.

An equal number of Jewish refugees from Palestine were reported coming to Alexandria.

PEOPLE UNEASY OVER SITUATION

Some Executions for Disorders in Mexico City.

GENERAL VILLA IS EXPECTED

Commander of Military Forces Controlled by the National Convention Will Assist General Garza in the Capital—Reason for Flight of President Gutierrez Not Yet Explained.

Washington, Jan. 19.—General Francisco Villa, commander-in-chief of the forces controlled by the convention in session at Mexico City, is due to reach the capital to assist Colonel Roque Gonzales Garza, selected by the convention as temporary executive to succeed General Eulalio Gutierrez.

Advices to this effect reached the state department, together with the information that, while the capital was "well protected and policed," there had been some executions for disorders and the populace is uneasy over the general situation.

The reasons for the departure of Gutierrez have not yet been explained. The belief prevails that, with the 5,000 troops accompanying him from Mexico City and Generals Blanco and Robles, he is endeavoring to join General Obregon and the Carranza element, or intends to set up an independent faction.

Light was thrown on the conduct of Gutierrez by the receipt here from Vera Cruz of copies of letters said to have been exchanged between General Gutierrez and Generals Obregon and Candido Aguilar, dated Jan. 7. Briefly, his plan was said to be to unite with Generals Obregon and Aguilar in deposing General Villa from control of the convention forces.

COTTON HITS RECORD PRICE

Reaches 9 Cents for July Delivery on New York Exchange.

New York, Jan. 19.—Cotton went to above 9 cents a pound here for July delivery, a new high record for the season.

Cotton for delivery in other active months was up generally from 30 to 35 points above the closing figures of last week. This was about \$8 a bale more than low prices of last month.

Buyers were encouraged by reports of continued firmness in the Southern spot market and a continuance of the heavy export movement.

Four cotton exchange memberships were sold at auction on the floor of the exchange here. The first two seats offered for sale brought \$10,000 each, while the third seat sold at \$10,200, and the fourth at \$10,300. The last previous sale was at \$9,250.

ASKS FOR INVESTIGATORS

Federal Officers to Help in Election Fraud Probe.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Attorney General Gregory received word from United States District Attorney Karch of the Eastern district of Illinois that in investigation of alleged election frauds in the Eighteenth Illinois district, which returned former Speaker Cannon to congress last November, had progressed far enough to require the presence of department of justice investigators.

The department will assign one or more investigators to the case and Mr. Karch was instructed to continue his inquiry regardless of what political party might be involved.

COPPER IS GOING ABROAD

Six Weeks' Exports Are Valued \$7,911,384, According to Report.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Copper exports during the six weeks' period ended Jan. 9 were valued at \$7,911,384, according to figures made public by the department of commerce.

During the week ended Jan. 9 copper valued at \$2,152,711 left the country and of that amount England got \$802,772, France \$990,215 and Italy \$342,881.

Hotel Employee Admits Murder.

Galesburg, Ill., Jan. 19.—Confronted with his own bloody shirt and handkerchief in which \$92 was concealed Harrison Markwell, a hotel employee, confessed to the murder of U. P. Aiken, a night watchman.

Paris Kept in Darkness.

Paris, Jan. 19.—In accordance with a military order lights are seldom seen at night in buildings in Paris, the windows of which are covered with double blinds. The boulevard cafes are using a minimum of lights, while the show windows of stores and electric signs are dark. As few street lamps as possible are being used.

W. R. ELLIS.

Former Oregon Congressman Dies at Portland.



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Portland, Ore., Jan. 19.—W. R. Ellis, who represented the Second Oregon district four terms in the national house of representatives, beginning with 1892, died of cerebral hemorrhage. He was a native of Montgomery county, Indiana, and an alumnus of the University of Iowa, class of 1874.

CHARGES SYNDICATE PROMPTS ROBBERIES

Says "Crime Federation" Extends Into Many Cities.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—Ninety-eight per cent of the burglaries in Chicago each year are committed by a syndicate of thieves, in the opinion of Attorney Fletcher Dohy, special director of the investigators who inquired into crime in Chicago and who continued their report to the city council crime commission. It is said the "crime federation" extends into nearly every large city in the country.

That a systematic burglars' and shoplifters' staff is maintained by a carefully organized group of lawbreakers was the expressed opinion of Mr. Dohy, who declared to the committee that frequently orders were received for goods before they were stolen and that "lookouts" for the organization investigated the shops to be entered and appraised the goods which were later stolen.

"The man who breaks into a store and steals large quantities of goods knows that he has a market for what he steals," said Mr. Dohy. "If the professional 'fences' were eliminated there would be no market for stolen goods."

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Rome, Jan. 19.—In numerous towns in the earthquake zone many persons were rescued alive from beneath the debris of fallen buildings, where they had lain without food or water for six days.

Hope is expressed that many others who are held prisoners may be reached in time to save them.

Nineteen were taken alive from the ruins at Avezzano, six of them unhurt. It still is impossible to state with accuracy the number of lives lost in the earthquake or do more than estimate the monetary damage. One unofficial estimate places the property loss at above \$60,000,000.

Subscriptions for the relief of the sufferers are being raised throughout Italy and the people are responding generously.

King Victor Emmanuel again has gone into the stricken region to render what service he can to the distressed people.

Queen Helena sent a trainload of food stuffs, clothing and medical supplies to the people in the ruined towns. Members of the royal family, high officials and leading legislators are busily engaged in relief work.

Thomas Nelson Page, the American ambassador, was among those who went to the earthquake region to distribute relief stores to the destitute.

At several places wolves have come down out of the mountains and parties have been formed to hunt down and exterminate them. In some instances the wolves are said to be so vicious that they even attacked automobiles passing along the roads.

It having been established that attempts at looting continued, the military authorities are taking severe repressive measures. Two thieves, endeavoring to enter a building formerly occupied by the local branch of the Bank of Naples, were shot.

SAYS MARCH ON BERLIN WILL BEGIN IN SPRING.

Winnipeg, Jan. 19.—"When the roads get good in the spring the general advance on Berlin will begin," said Major General Sam Hughes, Canadian minister of militia, before a luncheon of the Canadian club.

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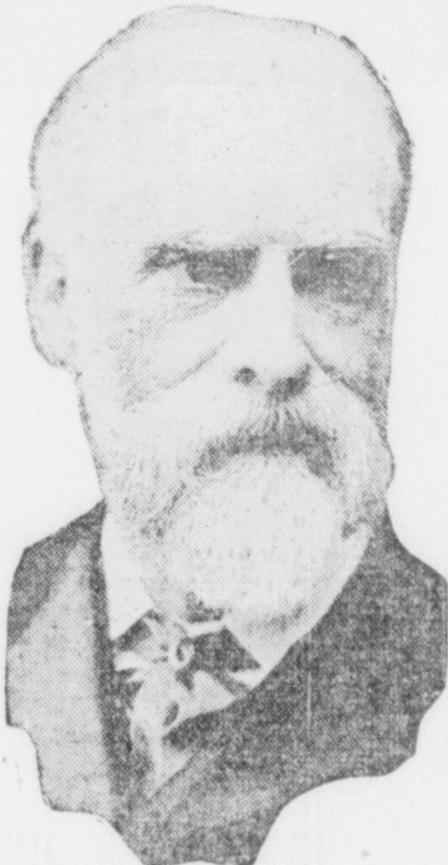
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"There was not a suggestion of an insult," blandly replied Lewis. "For myself, if any one intimated that I had the capacity to correct all the senators in all the errors that are made I would regard it as a great tribute, not an insult."

Men who live in agricultural communities and know something about the trials of the average farmer get somewhat tired of the talk about "back to the farm" indulged in mainly by persons who never had any experience and have little knowledge of farm life. Thus spoke Senator McCumber of North Dakota in the senate during a recent debate:

"I have heard this song of 'back to the farm' ever since I have been in the senate. It is an annual song, and its echoes never die, but I have never yet seen any good result from it. Population will always drift to the center of the greatest remuneration for labor. That is a law you cannot change."

Other senators discussed the subject of why young men did not follow their fathers in the occupation of farming, but the average young and intelligent boy who can do anything else is generally sick of the farm by the time he is big enough to do anything else.

Envy.

"Oh, dear, I wish I was a turtle!" "What an absurd idea! Why?" "A turtle has a snap."—Exchange.

PITCHED BATTLE FOURTEEN SHOT

Special to Dispatch:

Roosevelt, N. J., Jan. 19, 2:42 P. M.—Fourteen men were shot, four mortally wounded, in a pitched battle between 250 striking laborers and fifty deputy sheriffs at the plant of the American Agricultural Chemical Company here today.

HEAVY FIGHTING AROUND YPRES

Special to Dispatch:

Amsterdam, Jan. 19, 1:30 P. M.—Heavy artillery fighting has been heard since early Monday around Ypres where Germans have taken the active offensive, their efforts to occupy Ypres thus far being unsuccessful. Many fresh British troops have arrived at this front.

SECOND QUAKE IS REPORTED

Special to The Dispatch:

Rome, Jan. 19, 1:30 P. M.—News reached here today stating that a strong earthquake has occurred in Calabria and especially in Cosenza Capital Province. It is not known whether there has been loss of life or serious damage to property.

NONPARTISAN BILL REFUSED

North Dakota House Committee Opposes Election Measure.

Bismarck, N. D., Jan. 19.—The house voiced its disapproval of nonpartisan county and legislative elections when the committee of the whole recommended such a bill for indefinite postponement. The first senate bill considered in the house provided a penalty for making false bank statements and was passed without opposition.

Representative Hjelmstad offered a resolution asking congress to pass a law prohibiting the carrying of advertisements of intoxicating liquor in United States mail.

In the senate a resolution proposing a proclamation be issued by the governor calling for a general thanksgiving and prayer and halting of business for five minutes before noon Feb. 17 to celebrate the century of peace with England carried after considerable debate.

MILES CITY FIRE COSTS LIFE

Fireman, Overcome by Dense Smoke, Falls Dead.

Miles City, Mont., Jan. 19.—The death of one fireman and five horses and property destroyed or damaged to the extent of about \$25,000 was the result of fire in the Jordan & Pearson livery stable.

Glen Morrison, a fireman, who carried a fire hose into the burning building, was suffocated with smoke and fell dead.

The property was owned by the Merchants' Mercantile association and leased to Jordan & Pearson, who operated a big livery and feed stable. Many costly vehicles and four funeral wagons were destroyed. The building is a total wreck.

PROVIDES WORK FOR IDLE

Superior Commission Orders Clearing of 100 Acres of Land.

Superior, Wis., Jan. 19.—Urged by professional and business men to provide work for nearly 100 unemployed heads of Superior families the city commission arranged to clear 100 acres of municipal lands.

The decision was reached following a heated session of the commission with the workmen and their supporters, who asserted the right of every willing man to work.

JEW REFUGEES DESTITUTE

Arrival of 6,000 at Alexandria, Egypt, From Palestine.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Official dispatches to the state department report the arrival at Alexandria, Egypt, of 6,000 Jews from Palestine. Seventy-five per cent of them were Russians and the remainder British and French. More than 4,000 were said to be destitute.

An equal number of Jewish refugees from Palestine were reported coming to Alexandria.

PEOPLE UNEASY OVER SITUATION

Some Executions for Disorders in Mexico City.

GENERAL VILLA IS EXPECTED

Commander of Military Forces Controlled by the National Convention Will Assist General Garza in the Capital—Reason for Flight of President Gutierrez Not Yet Explained.

Washington, Jan. 19.—General Francisco Villa, commander-in-chief of the forces controlled by the convention in session at Mexico City, is due to reach the capital to assist Colonel Roque Gonzales Garza, selected by the convention as temporary executive to succeed General Eulalio Gutierrez.

Advices to this effect reached the state department, together with the information that, while the capital was "well protected and policed," there had been some executions for disorders and the populace is uneasy over the general situation.

The reasons for the departure of Gutierrez have not yet been explained. The belief prevails that, with the 5,000 troops accompanying him from Mexico City and Generals Blanco and Robles, he is endeavoring to join General Obregon and the Carranza element, or intends to set up an independent faction.

Light was thrown on the conduct of Gutierrez by the receipt here from Vera Cruz of copies of letters said to have been exchanged between General Gutierrez and Generals Obregon and Candido Aguilar, dated Jan. 7. Briefly, his plan was said to be to unite with Generals Obregon and Aguilar in deposing General Villa from control of the convention forces.

COTTON HITS RECORD PRICE

Reaches 9 Cents for July Delivery on New York Exchange.

New York, Jan. 19.—Cotton went to above 9 cents a pound here for July delivery, a new high record for the season.

Cotton for delivery in other active months was up generally from 30 to 35 points above the closing figures of last week. This was about \$8 a bale more than low prices of last month.

Buyers were encouraged by reports of continued firmness in the Southern spot market and a continuance of the heavy export movement.

Four cotton exchange memberships were sold at auction on the floor of the exchange here. The first two seats offered for sale brought \$10,000 each, while the third seat sold at \$10,200, and the fourth at \$10,300. The last previous sale was at \$9,250.

ASKS FOR INVESTIGATORS

Federal Officers to Help in Election Fraud Probe.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Attorney General Gregory received word from United States District Attorney Karch of the Eastern district of Illinois that investigation of alleged election frauds in the Eighteenth Illinois district, which returned former Speaker Cannon to congress last November, had progressed far enough to require the presence of department of justice investigators.

The department will assign one or more investigators to the case and Mr. Karch was instructed to continue his inquiry regardless of what political party might be involved.

COPPER IS GOING AHEAD

Six Weeks' Exports Are Valued \$7,911,384, According to Report.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Copper exports during the six weeks' period ended Jan. 9 were valued at \$7,911,384, according to figures made public by the department of commerce.

During the week ended Jan. 9 copper valued at \$2,152,711 left the country and of that amount England got \$802,772, France \$999,215 and Italy \$342,881.

Hotel Employee Admits Murder.

Galesburg, Ill., Jan. 19.—Confronted with his own bloody shirt and handkerchief in which \$92 was concealed Harrison Markwell, a hotel employee, confessed to the murder of U. P. Aiken, a night watchman.

Paris Kept in Darkness.

Paris, Jan. 19.—In accordance with a military order lights are seldom seen at night in buildings in Paris, the windows of which are covered with double blinds. The boulevard cafes are using a minimum of lights, while the show windows of stores and electric signs are dark. As few street lamps as possible are being used.

W. R. ELLIS.

Former Oregon Congressman Dies at Portland.



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Portland, Ore., Jan. 19.—W. R. Ellis, who represented the Second Oregon district four terms in the national house of representatives, beginning with 1892, died of cerebral hemorrhage. He was a native of Montgomery county, Indiana, and an alumnus of the University of Iowa, class of 1874.

CHARGES SYNDICATE PROMPTS ROBBERIES

Says "Crime Federation" Extends Into Many Cities.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—Ninety-eight per cent of the burglaries in Chicago each year are committed by a syndicate of thieves. In the opinion of Attorney Fletcher Dobyns, special director of the investigators who inquired into crime in Chicago and who continued their report to the city council crime commission. It is said the "crime federation" extends into nearly every large city in the country.

That a systematic burglars' and shoplifters' staff is maintained by a carefully organized group of lawbreakers was the expressed opinion of Mr. Dobyns, who declared to the committee that frequently orders were received for goods before they were stolen and that "lookouts" for the organization investigated the shops to be entered and appraised the goods which were later stolen.

"The man who breaks into a store and steals large quantities of goods knows that he has a market for what he steals," said Mr. Dobyns. "If the professional 'fences' were eliminated there would be no market for stolen goods."

GERMAN AVIATORS CAPTURED BY FRENCH.

Paris, Jan. 19.—The following official communication was issued:

"In the Campagne some German aeroplanes have flown over our position. They were received by our cannon and machine guns and two of them were brought to the ground in side our lines near Bar-le-Duc. The aeroplanes were slightly damaged. The four aviators in them were made prisoners of war."

DANES CONFISCATE WHEAT

Government Is to Seize All of Foreign Origin in the Kingdom.

London, Jan. 19.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Copenhagen says the government has decided to confiscate all wheat in Denmark of foreign origin. This supply is valued at \$500,000.

Government representatives, according to the correspondent, now are on their way to London to negotiate the purchase of corn and fodder.

HAITIEN REVOLT SPREADING

Unofficial Advices Say General Guillaume Is Leading Insurrectos.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The latest revolution in Haiti is spreading rapidly, according to unofficial advices received at the state department.

General Guillaume personally is leading the revolutionary forces, which have swept all before them from Cape Haitien to Gonaives.

MANY PERSONS RESCUED ALIVE

Earthquake Victims Dug Out From Under Debris.

PROPERTY LOSS \$60,000,000

No Accurate Figures Are Available Regarding Number of Lives Lost in Italian Earthquake and the Property Damage Can Only Be Roughly Estimated.

Rome, Jan. 19.—In numerous towns in the earthquake zone many persons were rescued alive from beneath the debris of fallen buildings, where they had lain without food or water for six days.

Hope is expressed that many others who are held prisoners may be reached in time to save them.

Nineteen were taken alive from the ruins at Avezzano, six of them unhurt. It still is impossible to state with accuracy the number of lives lost in the earthquake or do more than estimate the monetary damage. One unofficial estimate places the property loss at above \$60,000,000.

Subscriptions for the relief of the sufferers are being raised throughout Italy and the people are responding generously.

King Victor Emmanuel again has gone into the stricken region to render what service he can to the distressed people.

Queen Helena sent a trainload of food stuffs, clothing and medical supplies to the people in the ruined towns. Members of the royal family, high officials and leading legislators are busily engaged in relief work.

Thomas Nelson Page, the American ambassador, was among those who went to the earthquake region to distribute relief stores to the destitute.

At several places wolves have come down out of the mountains and parties have been formed to hunt down and exterminate them. In some instances the wolves are said to be so vicious that they even attacked automobiles passing along the roads.

It having been established that attempts at looting continued, the military authorities are taking severe repressive measures. Two thieves, endeavoring to enter a building formerly occupied by the local branch of the Bank of Naples, were shot.

SAYS MARCH ON BERLIN WILL BEGIN IN SPRING.

Winnipeg, Jan. 19.—"When the roads get good in the spring the general advance on Berlin will begin," said Major General Sam Hughes, Canadian minister of militia, before a luncheon of the Canadian club. "There is many a trench to be taken," he went on; "many a fort to be razed, many a plain to traverse, many a stream to be crossed, even the Rhine itself."

FIND 9,000 TURKS FROZEN

Terrible Plight of Retreating Army in Caucasus.

Petrograd, Jan. 19.—Correspondents with the Russian army in the Caucasus are sending to their newspapers stories of the terrible plight of the retreating Turks after the defeat of the Turkish Eleventh corps in the Kara-Ungar region.

And the snow storms, which obliterated every foot of the roads, the Russians are reported to have pressed unrelentingly upon their beaten foes. In one stretch of woods the Russians found the bodies of 9,000 Turks who had frozen to death. In their hands they still grasped their rifles.

The correspondents say it seems doubtful whether any of the Turks will succeed in reaching Erzerum, whence it is rumored the Turks, despairing of holding the fortress, are removing the new German artillery recently mounted there.

BELGIUM TO SHOW AT FAIR

Nation Accepts Offer of Space in French Building.

London, Jan. 19.—Telegraphing from Amsterdam the correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph company says:

"Belgium has decided to accept the offer of France of space in the French building at the Panama-Pacific exposition and will exhibit pictures and lace saved before the German invasion of Belgium."

\$1,000,000 Fire in Wire Plant.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 19.—Fire totally destroyed the insulated wire department of the John A. Roebbing's Sons company mill. The loss was estimated at \$1,000,000.

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For SPRING WATER Phone 264.

—Advt. 2441f

Judge A. R. Holman, of Pequot, was in Brainerd today.

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John Zeta went to Melrose and Osakis this afternoon.

Phone 359L for DRY millwood.—Advt. 1781f

Rev. Father Joseph Quillion, of Crosby, was in Brainerd today.

You will want to see more of WEINER.

Attorney Louis Hallum, of Aitkin, was in the city on legal business.

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Watson Stevens, of Cameron, Mo., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Bennett.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Quinlivan, of Deerwood, went to Minneapolis this afternoon.

A boon from the fields, Wheat-a-Laxa bread, Natural grain laxative, at Ericsson Bros. bakery, 1711f

Lee Farr, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Smith, returned home to Marble this afternoon.

New line of ice skates just received at D. M. Clark & Co.'s.—Advt 1921f

R. T. Taylor, trainmaster of the Lake Superior division of the Northern Pacific railway, was in the city today.

Special sale on shoes during the next ten days at Ebinger's shoe store, Northeast Brainerd. 18816p

Andrew E. Berglund, manager of the Ransford hotel, is said by his friends to be looking for a horse and cutter that he can drive with one hand.

WEINER DAY Friday, January 22.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Clark went to St. Paul this afternoon. They will attend the wedding of their son, Mal D. Clark, Wednesday morning in St. Paul.

Rheumatism and kindred ailments successfully treated at Brainerd's Sulphur Vapor Baths. Evenings by appointment. Dr. E. E. Long, Osteopath. 19216

E. G. Ingalls, of Crosby, who is getting out the big range telephone directory, was in the city today. Copy is all in and the Dispatch will soon have the directory off the press.

WEINER DAY Friday, January 22.

A regular meeting of Brainerd Chapter, No. 42, Royal Arch Masons, will be held this evening. All members are requested to be present as matters of importance will be brought up at the meeting.

Wanted at Once—Men to cut 5-000 cord of Jack pine 4 foot lath bolts and cord wood. Write or phone Jas. Ingram, Pequot, Minn. 18916-w1

George Anderson, the travelingman of Brainerd who made such a success with his sleight of hand performance at the U. C. T. entertainment, went to Minneapolis this afternoon. George said he would try for the Orpheum circuit.

You will want to see more of WEINER.

The cold weather has resulted in many calls on the Associated Charities for clothing and shoes. If any one has any of these articles which they do not need the Associated Charities would be very glad to have them. Notify Mrs. George Bertram, Tel. 185, or Mrs. F. D. Stillings, Tel. 20-R.

WEINER DAY Friday, January 22.

E. E. M. Smith, representing the Flor de Knispel cigar factory is in the city calling on the trade in the interest of his firm and interesting the dealers in the quality of the goods he has for sale and the advantage to every dealer in cigars by having them in their stock. The Flor de Knispel, 26 sizes, clear Havana; the George C., a mild Havana in two sizes and "Gee See", the world beater five cent cigars, are among the brands he is offering to the trade. 19016p

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"The Mysterious Rose" for Wednesday and Thursday. Another "My Lady Raffles Story" featuring Grace Cunard and Francis Ford. It was two roses, one crushed and faded and held fast between cold fingers, the other rather fresh, lying on the floor where it had accidentally fallen which gave Phil Kelley, the famous detective, the first clue to the solution of the startling and altogether baffling murder in the district attorney's home which led him into fearful dangers, to the haunt of the most notorious girl crook in the country and to a final smashing victory.

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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 20

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should spell capacity. Tomorrow "Zudora," the girl of mystery, will solve a new problem. "The Mystery of the Sleeping House," with it will be run a 3-reel feature.

Empress Theatre

"In Sage Brush Country," "Shotguns That Kick" and "Creator of Hunger" the program for this evening at the Empress theatre. This is a varied and well balanced bill and one which all will enjoy.

Tomorrow is feature day and through much effort the management has secured Madame Olga Petrova in the international drama of romance and intrigue, "The Tigress". Madame Petrova is a recognized dramatic star. The play is splendid and the photo drama is vital and tense. The theatre going people have an opportunity to see something really good in the Tigress.

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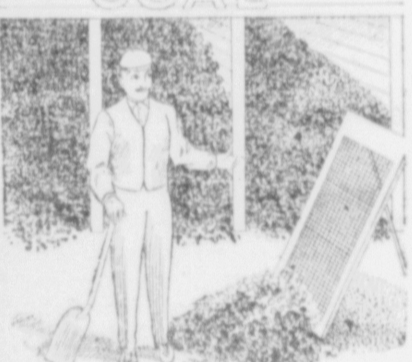
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For SPRING WATER Phone 264. —Advt. 2441f

Judge A. R. Holman, of Pequot, was in Brainerd today.

WEINER DAY Friday, January 22.
John Zeta went to Melrose and Osakis this afternoon.

Phone 359L for DRY millwood.—Advt. 1781f

Rev. Father Joseph Quillen, of Crosby, was in Brainerd today.

You will want to see more of **WEINER**.

Attorney Louis Hallum, of Atkin, was in the city on legal business.

WEINER DAY Friday, January 22.

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CHIROPRACTORS
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Columbia Theatre Bldg. Phone 612

WHICH SIDE OF THE SCRLN

Does your coal come from Our coal is all carefully inspected before we accept it—is yours Our coal has no slag or dirt, or in fact any foreign material to add to the weight or detract from the heating quality. We take good care of our trade at all times.

JOHN LARSON

Watson Stevens, of Cameron, Mo., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Bennett.

WEINER DAY Friday, January 22.
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Quinlivan, of Deerwood, went to Minneapolis this afternoon.

A boon from the fields, Wheat-a-Laxa bread. Natural grain laxative, at Ericsson Bros. bakery. 1711f

Lee Farr, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Smith, returned home to Marble this afternoon.

New line of ice skates just received at D. M. Clark & Co.'s.—Advt 1921f

R. T. Taylor, trainmaster of the Lake Superior division of the Northern Pacific railway, was in the city today.

Special sale on shoes during the next ten days at Ebinger's shoe store, Northeast Brainerd. 18816p

Andrew E. Berglund, manager of the Ransford hotel, is said by his friends to be looking for a horse and cutter that he can drive with one hand.

WEINER DAY Friday, January 22.
Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Clark went to St. Paul this afternoon. They will attend the wedding of their son, Mal D. Clark, Wednesday morning in St. Paul.

Rheumatism and kindred ailments successfully treated at Brainerd's Sulphur Vapor Baths. Evenings by appointment. Dr. E. E. Long, Osteopath. 19216

E. G. Ingalls, of Crosby, who is getting out the big range telephone directory, was in the city today. Copy is all in and the Dispatch will soon have the directory off the press.

WEINER DAY Friday, January 22.
A regular meeting of Brainerd Chapter, No. 42, Royal Arch Masons, will be held this evening. All members are requested to be present as matters of importance will be brought up at the meeting.

Wanted at Once—Men to cut 5,000 cord of Jack pine 4 foot lath bolts and cord wood. Write or phone Jas. Ingram, Pequot, Minn. 18916-w1

George Anderson, the travelingman of Brainerd who made such a success with his sleight of hand performance at the U. C. T. entertainment, went to Minneapolis this afternoon. George said he would try for the Orpheum circuit.

You will want to see more of **WEINER**.

The cold weather has resulted in many calls on the Associated Charities for clothing and shoes. If any one has any of these articles which they do not need the Associated Charities would be very glad to have them. Notify Mrs. George Bertram, Tel. 185, or Mrs. F. D. Stillings, Tel. 20-R.

WEINER DAY Friday, January 22.
E. E. M. Smith, representing the Flor de Knispel cigar factory is in the city calling on the trade in the interest of his firm and interesting the dealers in the quality of the goods he has for sale and the advantage.

WOMAN ON THE BATTLEFIELD
What She Gives to a Nation

Shall we say that women contribute only the bandages, the nursing, cheering and comforting the wounded? No! They contribute the fighters. What sort of help and inspiration can a woman be who is enfeebled and broken-down by diseases and weaknesses peculiar to her sex. Can she hope to be a capable mother or an efficient wife?

The mighty restorative power of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription speedily causes all womanly troubles to disappear—compels the organs to properly perform their natural functions, corrects displacements, overcomes irregularities, removes pain and brings back health and strength to nervous, irritable and exhausted women.

It is a wonderful prescription prepared only from nature's roots and herbs with no alcohol to falsely stimulate and no narcotics to wreck the nerves. It banishes pain, headache, backache, low spirits, hot flashes, dragging-down sensation, worry and sleeplessness surely and without loss of time.

Why should any woman continue to worry, to lead a miserable existence, when certain help is at hand?

What Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has done for thousands it will do for you. It's not a secret remedy for its ingredients are printed on wrapper. Get it this very day at any medicine dealers in either liquid or tablet form. In the meantime address Doctor Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and simply write "Dear Doctor: Please send me without charge further information," and you will receive the advice of a physician specialist absolutely free; 136 page book on women's diseases sent free.

"Of Course"

This week we will show lots of pretty things
More New Spring Goods

If it's from **"Murphy's"** it's good
What's here is all right; What's all right is here

Murphy's
THE STORE OF QUALITY

age to every dealer in cigars by having them in their stock. The Flor de Knispel, 26 sizes, clear Havana; the George C., a mild Havana in two sizes and "Gee See", the world beater five cent cigars, are among the brands he is offering to the trade. 19016p

THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Girls! Try it! Hair gets soft, fluffy and luxuriant at once—No more falling hair

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now?—Advt.

NOTICE
Parties cutting timber or trespassing on A. A. White properties will be prosecuted.
E. W. VAN WALK,
Special Agent for
A. A. White Townsite Co.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

At the Grand
"Master Key" tonight. This great serial is just beginning to really open. Robt. Leonard and Ella Hall are each becoming better. The excitement is very thrilling and clean. Every one is more than fascinated. This week shows Ruth introduced to a confidence man with whom she is to make arrangements in securing capital for the financing of the mine. Late you will see Dore to her rescue. No wonder this wonderful serial is a house packer.

"The Mysterious Rose" for Wednesday and Thursday. Another "My Lady Raffles Story" featuring Grace Cunard and Francis Ford. It was two roses, one crushed and faded and held fast between cold fingers, the other rather fresh, lying on the floor where it had accidentally fallen which gave Phil Kelley, the famous detective, the first clue to the solution of the startling and altogether baffling murder in the district attorney's home which led him into fearful dangers, to the haunt of the most notorious girl crook in the country and to a final smashing victory.

At the Columbia
"The most beautiful picture I have ever seen," was the words spoken by all who left the theatre last night. Just the announcement that this most wonderful picture can be seen tonight.

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The Home of Feature Photo Plays

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Tonight Only, Tuesday, Jan. 19
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'MORE THAN QUEEN'

This magnificent film in its succession of scenes wonderfully colored, its romantic old world background, its intensely human story, its fine settings and above all in its splendid acting, is a real achievement of the "film d'art."

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A Supporting Cast of 500
ALL FOUR ACTS HAND COLORED
A Work of Art

VOCAL DUETT
"The Old Oaken Bucket"
MRS. PLUNKETT, Soprano. AL. MRAZ, Britone

TONIGHT ONLY, TUESDAY, JAN. 19
The First Baby Show

Baby Pictures You Will See Today
MARY RAU
Who Took First Prize in Recent Baby Contest
Harry Goedderz, Carl Foltz, Vern Sinclair, Dorothy Ryan
DUNCAN EAGLESOME
Our own "Scotty" at the tender age of 9 months
Next week will be a great surprise. Just hold your breath

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 20
"The Mystery of the Sleeping House"

ZUDORA
should spell capacity. Tomorrow "Zudora," the girl of mystery, will solve a new problem. "The Mystery of the Sleeping House," with it will be run a 3-reel feature.

Empress Theatre
"In Sage Brush Country," "Shot-guns That Kick" and "Creator of Hunger," the program for this evening at the Empress theatre. This is a varied and well balanced bill and one which all will enjoy.

Tomorrow is feature day and through much effort the management has secured Madame Olga Petrova in the international drama of romance and intrigue, "The Tigress". Madame Petrova is a recognized dramatic star. The play is splendid and the photo drama is vital and tense. The theatre going people have an opportunity to see something really good in the Tigress.

BEST LAXATIVE FOR BOWELS—"CASCARETS"
They Clean Liver, Sweeten Stomach; End Sick Headache, Bad Breath, Indigestion, Constipation

Get a 10-cent box.
Are you keeping your bowels, liver, and stomach clean, pure and fresh with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with Salts, Cathartic Pills, Castor Oil or Purgative Waters?

Stop having a bowel wash-day. Let Cascarets thoroughly cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the

Do Your Automobile Shopping Early

We have bought 150 Ford Touring cars price \$490.00 F. O. B. Detroit and will sell them for \$50.00 cash and \$50.00 per month.

Also 25 Overlands price \$850 and \$1075 for the four cylinder cars and \$1475 for the six cylinder models F. O. B. Toledo. We will sell for \$100 cash and \$100 per month.


And 10 Kissel Kars, the four cylinder model \$1450 and the six cylinder model at \$1650, all F. O. B. Hartford, Wis. We will sell for \$200 cash and \$100 per month. Call and see these beautiful cars and get full particulars of our sales plan.

We store your car in our steam heated Garage for \$5.00 per month

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NEW CHARTER STRIKES SNAG

Council Files Request of Commission to Return Their Charter after it was Submitted

CITY ATTORNEY READS LAW

Special Election not Mandatory—Council Confirms Purchase of White Fire Truck

At the meeting of the council on Monday evening a resolution from the charter commission was presented reading:

"The Brainerd charter commission, being convinced that the charter under which Brainerd is now operating is defective, and that it would be to the best interests of the city that it procure a new charter, has, after an unusually long and careful study and after many deliberations framed a charter which it is satisfied is a great improvement over the present charter of the city, and provides for a form of government which is a long step in advance of the one now in force.

This proposed charter the commission recently delivered to the city council with a request that the latter call a special election for the purpose of submitting it to a vote of the people. The reason for making this request was that the statute requires that before a new charter can be adopted it must receive four-sevenths of all the votes cast at the election. It therefore follows that if the charter be submitted at a general election, any person who votes at such election for candidates for any or all of the offices to be filled at such election, but either because of lack of information or lack of interest fails to vote upon the proposal for a charter will in effect vote against such charter. It is a matter of history that whenever any special question is submitted at a general election, there are many of those voting at such elections who do not vote on such special question. This was even the case at our last special election when the two bond questions received more votes than the charter did.

The members of the commission are convinced that, despite the need for the new charter, it will be impossible to procure its adoption at the general election now referred to by the council, and the commission, knowing that it is incumbent upon them to explain to the public any new charter or amendment set forth by them, have indicated that it would be folly to put forth any effort, that it would be a waste of time and effort, involve needless printing of the proposed charter and that circulation thereof with their attendant expenses.

None of the commissioners are disposed to make any effort or attempt under such adverse circumstances, circumstances forced upon them against their better judgment. The commissioners want to ascertain the vote of those interested enough in charter

improvements when that vote is cast at an election at which the voter is unhampered by any other regular or special feature ballot.

Therefore, since you have seen fit to refuse the request that the charter be submitted at a special election, we hereby request that you return the draft of the same to us and that you refrain from submitting it at the next general election.

It is plain from the statutes that the power rests with the charter commission to request special elections as often as it sees fit to do so. Assuming that the statute in terms makes it mandatory upon the council to submit a charter delivered to it by the commission, yet since such obligation is set in motion by the commission, and since it is the plain intent of the statute, to merely make it compulsory upon the council to carry out the wish of the commission, and to submit such proposals as the commission desires submitted, the commission considers that it is entitled to withdraw a proposal and to control the action of the council, to the extent of demanding that a proposal be not submitted.

ERICK KRONBERG,
CARL ZAPFEE,
H. F. MICHAEL,
RICHARD ILSE,
G. D. LAHAR,
C. H. PAINE,
J. M. ELDER,
JUDG WRIGHT,
HENRY L. COHEN,
WERNER HEMSTEAD

On motion the resolution was placed on file.

City Attorney W. H. Crowell read a chapter of the general laws of Minnesota which stated that "upon delivery of such draft (of charter), the council or other governing body of the city or village shall cause the proposed charter to be submitted at the next general election thereafter occurring in said city or village within six months after the delivery of such draft, and if there is no general city or village election occurring in said city or village within six months after the delivery of such draft, then the council or other governing body of said city or village shall cause the proposed charter to be submitted at a special election to be held within 90 days after the delivery of such draft as aforesaid."

In the minds of the council this appeared to dispose of the plea of the charter commission for a special election to consider the charter, because the next general election comes in April, less than three months from today.

The White fire truck caused considerable discussion. When the vote was taken on the purchase of the truck Alderman Smith asked how the fire truck special committee stood. Each said he was in favor of the truck and the members were Aldermen Stallman, Lagerquist and Gallupe.

The final vote on the truck purchase stood 7 ayes, being Aldermen Lagerquist, Mahlum, Stallman, Smith, Hess, Peterson and Gallupe. The 3 nays were Aldermen Anderson, Betzold and Haake.

On the question of pneumatic tires the seven named voted yes, and Aldermen Anderson, Betzold and Haake voted nay.

To pay for the truck and other equipment Alderman Mahlum suggested that there be incorporated on the ballot at the next election the proposition that the balance of the city hall funds be used in payment for fire apparatus, furnishing the city hall and fire hall. He thought there would be a balance on hand of approximately \$7,000 and a vote of the people would be necessary to have the money for the purpose he named.

Mayor Henning, in a communication of some length to the council, voiced objections to the White car and claimed the bidding had not been extensively advertised. However, it may be stated, the matter of the bids for a fire truck were sent out as news matter by the Dispatch reporter to all the city papers of Duluth, Superior, Minneapolis and St. Paul and received wide publicity at no cost to the city.

Mayor Henning's letter, which he has asked the Dispatch to publish, reads:

Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 18, 1915.
To the President and Members of the City Council, Brainerd, Minn.

I am in receipt from the City Clerk of copies of the contract for the purchase of a motor driven combination chemical and hose truck from the "White Motor Co." thru its local agent Mr. Clarence Olson.

I have not signed this contract and believe that in justice to the members of the Council and the citizens of Brainerd, that I file with you a statement setting forth my reasons for not doing so.

In the first place one of my main objections is, that when the City of Brainerd is prepared to purchase any article in large quantities or machinery, for which a considerable sum of

money is expended that the City should in the true sense of the word, endeavor to secure competitive bidding upon the machinery or articles to be purchased.

In this case the advertisement for bids for a fire truck was placed only in the Brainerd Daily Dispatch, and in my opinion it should also have been placed in at least one commercial paper that has a circulation among manufacturers of five apparatus in order to give as wide publicity as possible to the fact that Brainerd was in the market for a combination chemical and hose truck, to be motor driven, and thus afford as many manufacturers as possible the opportunity of bidding on the equipment for Brainerd.

In addition to the above one section of the contract that has been submitted to me contains the following:

"Fire apparatus manufactured by the White company exactly similar in every particular to that herein described and which I propose to furnish is now in use in said cities for over one year, to wit:

Then follows a list of cities.
I have used what small amount of time that has been at my disposal since your body passed this franchise to verify the above statement.

In connection with my investigations I have replies from several cities, in which it is shown that there exists considerable difference in the specifications under which those cars were bought when compared with the specifications under which our car is to be bought.

One of the most important of those differences in my estimation is in the size of the cylinders, and I find that the cars all average cylinders which have one-half inch larger bore and one-half longer stroke than our specifications call for.

In connection with the arrangements which the contract calls for in regard to the payments for the car, namely:

"At least the sum of \$500.00 upon the acceptance of said truck, the balance of said \$5,250.00 to be made in two annual payments of equal amount, the first sum to become due one year from the date of accepting said truck and the second payment to become due two years from the date of accepting said truck, which deferred payments shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum."

In connection with the above, gentlemen, I want to call to your attention again to our financial condition and in doing so shall take up the Firemen's Relief fund and Current Expense funds, out of which as I understand the payments for this car must be made.

Firemen's Relief Fund:
Net balance in this fund on Jan. 1915 \$ 948.79
Amount to be transferred to this fund from current expense fund, approximately 1,100.00
Average income of this fund for 1915 750.00
Average income of this fund for 1916 750.00
Total \$3,898.79

So that you see that if the entire amount of the Firemen's Relief fund is used for payments upon this contract there will not be sufficient to make the payments.

Current Expense Fund:
On Jan. 1st, there was in this fund the sum of \$3,870.89 out of which were paid the payrolls allowed the first meeting in January and other regular expenses of the City. The salary per month at present is \$1,266.98. The hydrant rental \$175.00 per month and the amount paid for electric lighting averages at least \$325.00 per month, so that you have in these three items along an average expense of 1,766.98 per month, or an expenditure of \$21,203.76 per year if the present expenditures are continued.

Further in connection with the current expense funds I want to call to your attention that there is the possibility of the city losing the income of the current expense funds received from the sale of liquor licenses by the city in two ways:

Namely—By the enforcement of the provisions of the "Indian Treaties" which would close up all our saloons.

And by the city voting the saloons out of existence at the coming city election.

With the loss of the revenue to the current expense fund, in my opinion it will be absolutely impossible for the city to continue the present rate of expenditures during the next two years, saying nothing about this council adding additional burdens upon that fund, unless provision is made for an increase in some manner of the amount of revenue coming into the current expense fund.

Further at various times members of this council have expressed their sympathy for union labor, and these

expressions have not been confined to the members of this city council who are members of "Union Labor Organization."

Therefore I want to quote you a paragraph from a letter I have received from Mr. Wm. Jack, business agent of the machinists union of Cleveland, Ohio, where the "White Car" is manufactured, and in which he says in reference to the White Motor Car Co.

"This is a firm who have an age limit on the men they employ, barring all men over forty years of age. No man in the shop can talk unionism and still hold his job. I guess this enough for you as a machinist and mayor of the city of Brainerd."

Gentlemen you have in the above paragraph a recital of two of the principles for which organized labor stands, namely the right of any competent man to earn his living without regard to his age, and further the right of any set of employees to organize into a labor organization for their mutual protection and advancement.

If you gentlemen are sincere in your statements that you favor labor unions, then you will not insist on a contract being signed with a company which is antagonistic to labor unions.

I believe in the city making every advancement that it is possible for it to do in the matter of fire protection, but gentlemen I believe it is of extreme importance that we first are absolutely certain that the incoming city administration can pay the obligations we will impose upon it, without so crippling them from the very start, and they can not properly and carefully conduct our city's affairs, and secondly I believe that dollar for dollar expended it is our duty to see that the city of Brainerd secures as much value for its money as it is possible for us to secure, and it is my opinion that dollar for dollar of cost there were three cars submitted to the city of Brainerd, superior in quality and in some cases lower in price.

I therefore recommend to your body again that you carefully consider the question of the purchase of this motor fire truck at this time, in order that the best interests of our city may be served.

Yours very truly
R. A. HENNING,
Mayor.

On motion of Alderman Mahlum there was ordered transferred from the street maintenance fund to the current expense fund \$142.14, not used on Cuyuna street.

The city engineer was ordered to notify the county that the river bridge had defective planking.

The city engineer and the health, sewer and police committee are to investigate about the connection of district No. 3 sewer with the Laurel street sewer.

Alderman Anderson reported that a light had been placed at the skating rink.

The city engineer was ordered to prepare plans and specifications for the Ninth street south sewer.

Alderman Mahlum asked if the Holland estate had given the city title to the lands bequeathed by Judge G. W. Holland and recommending that as soon as this occurred that the city take steps to have the property explored for iron.

The application of Fred Cook for an additional billiard table license was granted. Wm. Bourquin filed his application for the position of janitor at the new city hall and the same was placed on file.

Alderman Mahlum, as chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee on parks and playgrounds, thanked the city for the loan of lumber for benches, etc., and for city water turned on.

Alderman Peterson spoke of six young men who were willing to shovel off the snow at the rink providing it was flooded and Alderman Gallupe was ordered to supervise the use of the hose and hydrant.

A representative of a patent fire alarm system demonstrated his machine which rings up a whole volunteer force, the operation being quickly accomplished by the telephone girl, whose labors its lightens. After ringing each fireman's home call by pressing a button, the girl can talk simultaneously to the department men telling them where the fire is. No action was taken regarding the purchase of one, which was quoted at \$450, including all cable connections.

Card of Thanks
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors, members of the German Lutheran church and the machinist lodge for their kindness and sympathy shown us in our bereavement, the death of our son and brother, Julius Domschot.

Mrs. Eva Domschot and Children.

WEINER DAY Friday, January 22.

CHARTER COMMISSION

Committee, it is Said, Will Submit Charter to the Voters After Next General Election

"The city council has seemingly tabled the resolution of the charter commission," said a member of the commission this morning.

"At the last meeting of the commission," said the member, "it was decided that should the council take such action, by putting the charter to the people at a general election, that the charter would not be published and the commission would ask the citizens of Brainerd not to consider the results of the election in any sense as passing on this charter, as none can be passed without a campaign of education.

"The commission reserves to itself the privilege of submitting the charter at any time after a general election when it becomes mandatory to submit it at a special election.

"The charter commission has spent some months in preparing the charter, going exhaustively into all details of city government which would suit the needs of Brainerd and they feel that the action of the city council in refusing to give a special election would mean its certain defeat.

"They have decided they will at least ask the privilege at a future date of submitting this for the decision of the voters, when no other question is before them. When the charter was voted on before, the council set a date right after Christmas which made an active campaign impracticable, as it is impossible to do anything during the holidays."

Notice I. O. O. F.

All members of Unity Lodge, No. 194, I. O. O. F., are requested to be present on Wednesday evening, January 20th, for installation of officers and other business.

H. L. PAINE,
Secretary.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Special Meeting Wednesday Evening for the Confirmation of Committee Appointments

A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce has been called for the confirmation of the standing committee appointments on Wednesday evening, January 20, at 8 o'clock, by order of the president. The appointment of the standing committees is of paramount importance and every member is requested to be in attendance if possible.

BIDS WANTED

Sealed bids will be received for the following work and the job will be let to the lowest bidder:

Job number one, viz: To remove all debris from the basement on lots three and four (3 and 4) block 45. All salvage of lumber, furnace, radiators or anything of value to be piled up in a neat pile. The balance to be burned or hauled away.

Job number two, viz: Remove, clean off mortar and pile up the brick down to the first story the brick walls on the south 100 feet and the east 50 feet and the west 50 feet of the brick walls of the Bane block, two hundred (200) feet in all.

Direct all bids to E. C. Bane, 410-zena State Bldg.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Bids will be opened Feb. 1st, Jan. 18, 1915.

1915 E. C. BANE.

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WANTS

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Six good teams for logging camp at Little Fork. Inquire K. A. Gustafson store. 19211

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Four room house at 1408 Oak street. Inquire at 1402 Oak St. 1434f

FOR RENT—3 room house, 618 N. 9th. 5 room house 717 N. E. B. Nettleton. 19312



After-dinner delight—the music of the Victrola

At times when you like to sit still in a listening frame of mind the Victrola is at your instant command to render your favorite selections—grand opera, violin, piano, band, orchestra, ragtime—any music that suits your taste.

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Part 4



Ruth leaves for San Francisco and falls into the enemies hands

Dore follows and has a marvelous escape when his motor truck crashes thru Burning bridge.

NOTE—Do not confuse this real serial story with the disconnected highly sensational service shown elsewhere. There has never been published so clean and interesting a movie serial story as "The Master Key."

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"When Their Brides Got Mixed"

Eddie Lyons and Victoria Forde

"The Groom's Doom"

With Billie Ritchie

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GRACE CUNARD

(Lucille Love)

and FRANCIS FORD

Present

(Loubeque)

"The Mysterious Rose"

"The Mysterious Rose" is one of the series of detective dramas that are being produced by Mr. Ford and Miss Cunard. Also, it is, you will agree, one of the most exciting, mystifying and stirring detective plays that this notable pair of artists have produced so far. With Miss Cunard in the role of "My Lady Raffles" and Mr. Ford playing Phil. Kelley, the spectator is carried along, from the first moment the picture is flashed upon the screen until the finish, in a veritable sea of emotion.

Also the Great star Mary Fuller in

"His Big Chance"

And the best comedy ever shown in Brainerd.

"The Shoemaker's Eleventh"

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent for light housekeeping. Inquire at 202 N. 4th St. 188-1mp

FOR RENT—Six room house, modern except heat. Enquire 215 North Fourth St. 1844f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Frame building. Call at 124 2nd Ave. N. E. 19143p

FOR SALE—Cutter, slightly used; very cheap. H. H. Baker 19016

FOR SALE—Large hard coal stove, cheap. Good as new. Address

"C" Dispatch. 191

FOR RENT—Elegant flat, unfurnished, steam heated. Phone 595. 19314p

FOR SALE—80 rods of lake shore on Bay Lake. Address H. O. Kirst, Maple Plain, Minn. 193112p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Position as housekeeper. 19 Bluff Ave. West. 19313p

WANTED—Tenant for building suitable for a two chair barber shop. Apply at Ebinger's shoe store, Northeast Brainerd. 18816p

Wouldn't Wash With-out "SKITCH"

And Why Should She? Think of Rubbing and Rubbing on Dirty Clothes When "SKITCH" Will Save it



"Please send some SKITCH to my grocer," writes Mrs. F. K. Lewis, 27 Fortieth St., Milwaukee. "I have no more and won't wash this week till I get it."

That's the spirit, women. Away with the pesky washboard. SKITCH cleans clothes better than you can do it by rubbing.

A 10-cent package of SKITCH does seven washings and saves enough soap on each of the seven to pay for the whole package. Three teaspoonfuls takes the dirt right out of a boilerful of dirty clothes while you sit and rest. SKITCH can't hurt the finest garment ever woven.

Get a 10-cent package of SKITCH and throw your washboard away. Get it of any grocer or send for free sample to Hans Flechtenberg, 211 Grand Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

NEW CHARTER STRIKES SNAG

Council Files Request of Commission to Return Their Charter after it was Submitted

CITY ATTORNEY READS LAW

Special Election not Mandatory—Council Confirms Purchase of White Fire Truck

At the meeting of the council on Monday evening a resolution from the charter commission was presented reading:

"The Brainerd charter commission, being convinced that the charter under which Brainerd is now operating is defective, and that it would be to the best interests of the city that it procure a new charter, has, after an unusually long and careful study and after many deliberations framed a charter which it is satisfied is a great improvement over the present charter of the city, and provides for a form of government which is a long step in advance of the one now in force.

This proposed charter the commission recently delivered to the city council with a request that the latter call a special election for the purpose of submitting it to a vote of the people. The reason for making this request was that the statute requires that before a new charter can be adopted it must receive four-sevenths of all the votes cast at the election. It therefore follows that if the charter be submitted at a general election, any person who votes at such election for candidates for any or all of the offices to be filled at such election, but either because of lack of information or lack of interest fails to vote upon the proposal for a charter will in effect vote against such charter. It is a matter of history that whenever any special question is submitted at a general election, there are many of those voting at such elections who do not vote on such special question. This was even the case at our last special election when the two bond questions received more votes than the charter did.

The members of the commission are convinced that, despite the need for the new charter, it will be impossible to procure its adoption at the general election now referred to by the council, and the commission, knowing that it is incumbent upon them to explain to the public any new charter or amendment set forth by them, have indicated that it would be folly to put forth any effort, that it would be a waste of time and effort, involve useless printing of the proposed charter and that circulation thereof with their attendant expenses.

None of the commissioners are disposed to make any effort or attempt under such adverse circumstances, circumstances forced upon them against their better judgment. The commissioners want to ascertain the vote of those interested enough in charter

improvements when that vote is cast at an election at which the voter is unhampered by any other regular or special feature ballot.

Therefore, since you have seen fit to refuse the request that the charter be submitted at a special election, we hereby request that you return the draft of the same to us and that you refrain from submitting it at the next general election.

It is plain from the statutes that the power rests with the charter commission to request special elections as often as it sees fit to do so. Assuming that the statute in terms makes it mandatory upon the council to submit a charter delivered to it by the commission, yet since such obligation is set in motion by the commission, and since it is the plain intent of the statute, to merely make it compulsory upon the council to carry out the wish of the commission, and to submit such proposals as the commission desires submitted, the commission considers that it is entitled to withdraw a proposal and to control the action of the council, to the extent of demanding that a proposal be not submitted.

ERICK KRONBERG,
CARL ZAPFEE,
H. F. MICHAEL,
RICHARD ILSE,
G. D. LAHAR,
C. H. PAINE,
J. M. ELDER,
JUDD WRIGHT,
HENRY I. COHEN,
WERNER HEMSTEAD

On motion the resolution was placed on file.

City Attorney W. H. Crowell read a chapter of the general laws of Minnesota which stated that "upon delivery of such draft (of charter), the council or other governing body of the city or village shall cause the proposed charter to be submitted at the next general election thereafter occurring in said city or village within six months after the delivery of such draft, and if there is no general city or village election occurring in said city or village within six months after the delivery of such draft, then the council or other governing body of said city or village shall cause the proposed charter to be submitted at a special election to be held within 90 days after the delivery of such draft as aforesaid."

In the minds of the council this appeared to dispose of the plea of the charter commission for a special election to consider the charter, because the next general election comes in April, less than three months from today.

The White fire truck caused considerable discussion. When the vote was taken on the purchase of the truck Alderman Smith asked how the fire truck special committee stood. Each said he was in favor of the truck and the members were Aldermen Stallman, Lagerquist and Gallupe.

The final vote on the truck purchase stood 7 ayes, being Aldermen Lagerquist, Mahlum, Stallman, Smith, Hess, Peterson and Gallupe. The 3 nays were Aldermen Anderson, Betzold and Haake.

On the question of pneumatic tires the seven named voted yes, and Aldermen Anderson, Betzold and Haake voted nay.

To pay for the truck and other equipment Alderman Mahlum suggested that there be incorporated on the ballot at the next election the proposition that the balance of the city hall funds be used in payment for fire apparatus, furnishing the city hall and fire hall. He thought there would be a balance on hand of approximately \$7,000 and a vote of the people would be necessary to have the money for the purpose he named.

Mayor Henning, in a communication of some length to the council, voiced objections to the White car and claimed the bidding had not been extensively advertised. However, it may be stated, the matter of the bids for a fire truck were sent out as news matter by the Dispatch reporter to all the city papers of Duluth, Superior, Minneapolis and St. Paul and received wide publicity at no cost to the city.

Mayor Henning's letter, which he has asked the Dispatch to publish, reads:

Brainerd, Minn., Jan. 18, 1915. To the President and Members of the City Council, Brainerd, Minn. Gentlemen:—

I am in receipt from the City Clerk of copies of the contract for the purchase of a motor driven combination chemical and hose truck from the "White Motor Co" thru its local agent Mr. Clarence Olson.

I have not signed this contract and believe that in justice to the members of the Council and the citizens of Brainerd, that I file with you a statement setting forth my reasons for not doing so.

In the first place one of my main objections is, that when the City of Brainerd is prepared to purchase any article in large quantities or machinery, for which a considerable sum of

money is expended that the City should in the true sense of the word, endeavor to secure competitive bidding upon the machinery or articles to be purchased.

In this case the advertisement for bids for a fire truck was placed only in the Brainerd Daily Dispatch, and in my opinion it should also have been placed in at least one commercial paper that has a circulation among manufacturers of five apparatus in order to give as wide publicity as possible to the fact that Brainerd was in the market for a combination chemical and hose truck, to be motor driven, and thus afford as many manufacturers as possible the opportunity of bidding on the equipment for Brainerd.

In addition to the above one section of the contract that has been submitted to me contains the following:

"Fire apparatus manufactured by the White company exactly similar in every particular to that herein inclosed and which I propose to furnish is now in use in said cities for over one year, to wit:—

Then follows a list of cities. I have used what small amount of time that has been at my disposal since your body passed this franchise to verify the above statement.

In connection with my investigations I have replies from several cities, in which it is shown that there exists considerable difference in the specifications under which those cars were bought when compared with the specifications under which our car is to be bought.

One of the most important of those differences in my estimation is in the size of the cylinders, and I find that the cars all average cylinders which have one-half inch larger bore and one-half longer stroke than our specifications call for.

In connection with the arrangements which the contract calls for in regard to the payments for the car, namely:

"At least the sum of \$500.00 upon the acceptance of said truck, the balance of said \$5,250.00 to be made in two annual payments of equal amount, the first sum to become due one year from the date of accepting said truck and the second payment to become due two years from the date of accepting said truck, which deferred payments shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum."

In connection with the above, gentlemen, I want to call to your attention again to our financial condition and in doing so shall take up the Firemen's Relief fund and Current Expense funds, out of which as I understand the payments for this car must be made.

Firemen's Relief Fund:
Net balance in this fund on Jan. 1915 ----- \$ 948.79
Amount to be transferred to this fund from current expense fund, approximately ----- 1,109.99
Average income of this fund for 1915 ----- 759.99
Average income of this fund for 1916 ----- 759.99
Total ----- \$3,898.79

So that you see that if the entire amount of the Firemen's Relief fund is used for payments upon this contract there will not be sufficient to make the payments.

Current Expense Fund:
On Jan. 1st, there was in this fund the sum of \$3,879.89 out of which were paid the payrolls allowed the first meeting in January and other regular expenses of the City. The salary per month at present is \$1,266.98. The hydrant rental \$175.00 per month and the amount paid for electric lighting averages at least \$325.00 per month, so that you have in these three items alone an average expense of 1,766.98 per month, or an expenditure of \$21,203.76 per year if the present expenditures are continued.

Further in connection with the current expense funds I want to call to your attention that there is the possibility of the city losing the income of the current expense funds received from the sale of liquor licenses by the city in two ways:

Namely—By the enforcement of the provisions of the "Indian Treaties" which would close up all our saloons.

And by the city voting the saloons out of existence at the coming city election.

With the loss of the revenue to the current expense fund, in my opinion it will be absolutely impossible for the city to continue the present rate of expenditures during the next two years, saying nothing about this council adding additional burdens upon that fund, unless provision is made for an increase in some manner of the amount of revenue coming into the current expense fund.

Further at various times members of this council have expressed their sympathy for union labor, and these

expressions have not been confined to the members of this city council who are members of "Union Labor Organization."

Therefore I want to quote you a paragraph from a letter I have received from Mr. Wm. Jack, business agent of the machinists union of Cleveland, Ohio, where the "White Car" is manufactured, and in which he says in reference to the White Motor Car Co.

"This is a firm who have an age limit on the men they employ, barring all men over forty years of age. No man in the shop can talk unionism and still hold his job. I guess this enough for you as a machinist and mayor of the city of Brainerd."

Gentlemen you have in the above paragraph a recital of two of the principles for which organized labor stands, namely the right of any competent man to earn his living without regards to his age, and further the right of any set of employees to organize into a labor organization for their mutual protection and advancement.

If you gentlemen are sincere in your statements that you favor labor unions, then you will not insist on a contract being signed with a company which is antagonistic to labor unions.

I believe in the city making every advancement that it is possible for it to do in the matter of fire protection, but gentlemen I believe it is of extreme importance that we first are absolutely certain that the incoming city administration can pay the obligations we will impose upon it, without so crippling them from the very start, and they can not properly and carefully conduct our city's affairs, and secondly I believe that dollar for dollar expended it is our duty to see that the city of Brainerd secures as much value for its money as it is possible for us to secure, and it is my opinion that dollar for dollar of cost there were three cars submitted to the city of Brainerd, superior in quality and in some cases lower in price.

I therefore recommend to your body again that you carefully consider the question of the purchase of this motor fire truck at this time, in order that the best interests of our city may be served.

Yours very truly
R. A. HENNING,
Mayor.

On motion of Alderman Mahlum there was ordered transferred from the street maintenance fund to the current expense fund \$142.11, not used on Cuyuna street.

The city attorney was ordered to notify the county that the river bridge had defective planking.

The city engineer and the health, sewer and police committee are to investigate about the connection of district No. 3 sewer with the Laurel street sewer.

Alderman Anderson reported that a light had been placed at the skating rink.

The city engineer was ordered to prepare plans and specifications for the Ninth street south sewer.

Alderman Mahlum asked if the Holland estate had given the city title to the lands bequeathed by Judge G. W. Holland and recommending that as soon as this occurred that the city take steps to have the property explored for iron.

The application of Fred Cook for an additional billiard table license was granted. Wm. Bourquin filed his application for the position of janitor at the new city hall and the same was placed on file.

Alderman Mahlum, as chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee on parks and playgrounds, thanked the city for the loan of lumber for benches, etc., and for city water turned on.

Alderman Peterson spoke of six young men who were willing to shovel off the snow at the rink providing it was flooded and Alderman Gallupe was ordered to supervise the use of the hose and hydrant.

A representative of a patent fire alarm system demonstrated his machine which rings up a whole volunteer force, the operation being quickly accomplished by the telephone girl, whose labors it lightens. After ringing each fireman's home call by pressing a button, the girl can talk simultaneously to the department men telling them where the fire is. No action was taken regarding the purchase of one, which was quoted at \$450, including all cable connections.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors, members of the German Lutheran church and the machinist lodge for their kindness and sympathy shown us in our bereavement, the death of our son and brother, Julius Domschot.

Mrs. Eva Domschot and Children.

WERNER DAY Friday, January 22.

CHARTER COMMISSION

Committee, it is Said, Will Submit Charter to the Voters After Next General Election

"The city council has seemingly tabled the resolution of the charter commission," said a member of the commission this morning.

"At the last meeting of the commission," said the member, "it was decided that should the council take such action, by putting the charter to the people at a general election, that the charter would not be published and the commission would ask the citizens of Brainerd not to consider the results of the election in any sense as passing on this charter, as none can be passed without a campaign of education.

"The commission reserves to itself the privilege of submitting the charter at any time after a general election when it becomes mandatory to submit it at a special election.

"The charter commission has spent nine months in preparing the charter, going exhaustively into all details of city government which would suit the needs of Brainerd and they feel that the action of the city council in refusing to give a special election would mean its certain defeat.

"They have decided they will at least ask the privilege at a future date of submitting this for the decision of the voters, when no other question is before them. When the charter was voted on before, the council set a date right after Christmas which made an active campaign impracticable, as it is impossible to do anything during the holidays."

Notice I. O. O. F.

All members of Unity Lodge, No. 194, I. O. O. F., are requested to be present on Wednesday evening, January 20th, for installation of officers and other business.

H. L. PAINE,
Secretary.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Special Meeting Wednesday Evening for the Confirmation of Committee Appointments

A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce has been called for the confirmation of the standing committee appointments on Wednesday evening, January 20, at 8 o'clock, by order of the president. The appointment of the standing committees is of paramount importance and every member is requested to be in attendance if possible.

BIDS WANTED

Sealed bids will be received for the following work and the job will be let to the lowest bidder:

Job number one, viz: To remove all debris from the basement on lots three and four (3 and 4) block 45. All salvage of lumber, furnace, radiators or anything of value to be piled up in a neat pile. The balance to be burned or hauled away.

Job number two, viz: Remove, clean off mortar and pile up the brick down to the first story the brick walls on the south 100 feet and the east 50 feet and the west 50 feet of the brick walls of the Bane block, two hundred (200) feet in all.

Direct all bids to E. C. Bane, Citizens State Bldg.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Bids will be opened Feb. 1st, Jan. 18, 1915.

19312 E. C. BANE.

Now is the Season for Never Cough

It is not a patent. If you get your cough in Brainerd, have it cured in Brainerd by a Brainerd preparation. Sledge Drug Co. sells and guarantees it. Green Stamps with it.—Adv't. \$77-2nd

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Oldest and best Conservatory in the Northwest. All branches taught. Investigate the department in which you are interested. Fine class advantages. Enter now for study. SEND FOR FREE ILLUSTRATED CATALOG Address Registrar, 806 Nicollet Avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.

WANTS

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Six good teams for logging camp at Little Fork. Inquire K. A. Gustafson store. 19311

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Four room house at 1498 Oak street. Inquire at 1402 Oak St. 1480f

FOR RENT—5 room house, 618 N. 9th. 5 room house 717 N. 8th. Nettleton. 19312



After-dinner delight—the music of the Victrola

At times when you like to sit still in a listening frame of mind the Victrola is at your instant command to render your favorite selections—grand opera, violin, piano, band, orchestra, ragtime—any music that suits your taste.

Stop in and let us play some of them for you, and we'll show you the various styles of Victors (\$10 to \$100) and Victrolas (\$15 to \$200)—easy terms, if you like.



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Every film personally selected. The most noted film artists in the world. A diversified program every evening. Pictures that are worth your while.

AT THE NEW GRAND

TONIGHT

Part 4



Ruth leaves for San Francisco and falls into the enemies hands. Dore follows and has a marvelous escape when his motor truck crashes thru Burning bridge.

NOTE—Do not confuse this real serial story with the disconnected highly sensational service shown elsewhere. There has never been published so clean and interesting a movie serial story as "The Master Key."

ALSO TWO BLUE RIBBON COMEDIES

"When Their Brides Got Mixed"

Eddie Lyons and Victoria Forde

"The Groom's Doom"

With Billie Ritchie

CLEVER FEATURE FOR WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

GRACE CUNARD and FRANCIS FORD (Lucille Love) Present (Loubeque)

"The Mysterious Rose"

"The Mysterious Rose" is one of the series of detective dramas that are being produced by Mr. Ford and Miss Cunard. Also, it is, you will agree, one of the most exciting, mystifying and stirring detective plays that this notable pair of artists have produced so far. With Miss Cunard in the role of "My Lady Raffles" and Mr. Ford playing Phil. Kelley, the spectator is carried along, from the first moment the picture is flashed upon the screen until the finish, in a veritable sea of emotion.

Also the Great star Mary Fuller in

"His Big Chance"

And the best comedy ever shown in Brainerd.

"The Shoemaker's Eleventh"

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent for light housekeeping. Inquire at 203 N. 4th St. 188-1mp

FOR RENT—Six room house, modern except heat. Enquire 215 North Fourth St. 1841f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Frame building. Call at 124 2nd Ave. N. E. 19113p

FOR SALE—Cutter, slightly used, very cheap. H. H. Baker 19016

FOR SALE—Large hard coal stove, cheap. Good as new. Address

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FOR RENT—Elegant flat, unfurnished, steam heated. Phone 595. 19314p

FOR SALE—80 rods of lake shore on Bay Lake. Address H. O. Kirst, Maple Plain, Minn. 19312p

MISCELLANEOUS

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THE HOUSE OF REAL FEATURES Empress Theatre

TODAY

"Sage Brush Country"

A two reel feature. A play
With an Appeal

"Shotguns That Kick"

A roaring comedy, one of the
rib tickling kind. Don't fail
to see it

"Creator of Hunger"

A powerful drama. A Play

TOMORROW

Feature No. 8

Madame Olga Petrova

In Ramsey Morris' interna-
tional drama of romance and
intrigue

"The Tigress"

A Dramatic Sensation

Another bargain. We want
every man, woman and child
to see this photo drama. The
acting is immense, the produc-
tion superb and the plot is
great. See synopsis

First Evening Performance begins at 7:15 p. m.
Admission 5 and 10 Cents



"Tell Me the Secret"

"How do you make such delicious muffins? Mine are always so dry. And if I make the batter thin they fall. How do you do it?"

"I make them about as you do, only I use K C Baking Powder. Mine always turn out well, so it must be the baking powder."

It is the baking powder. To make muffins, cakes and pastry rich and moist, yet light and feathery, a modern double acting baking powder must be used—one that will give off leavening gas in the oven as well as in the mixing bowl.



K C BAKING POWDER

is really a blend of two baking powders, one of which starts to raise as soon as moisture is added. The other is inactive until heat is applied. This sustains the raise until your waffles, biscuits or cake is done.

K C Baking Powder costs less than the old fashioned quick acting kinds, yet you need use no more and it is superior to them in every way.

Try a can at our risk and be convinced.

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GEORGE SHAW COOK, C. S. B.
Of Chicago, Illinois

At The Opera House
In Brainerd, Minnesota

January 22nd., 1915

At 8 p. M. Sharp

Admission Free
All are Invited

WOMAN'S REALM

A PLEASANT SURPRISE

Mrs. Nels Johnson Presented With
Brooch Set With Pearls Monday
Evening at Choir Practice

Mrs. Nels Johnson and brother, Will Anderson, were pleasantly surprised on Monday evening at choir practice at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Fullerton and the assembled friends, including the elders and trustees and their wives of the First Presbyterian church presented Mrs. Johnson with a brooch set with pearls.

Mrs. Johnson has taken part in many services of the church and her beautiful singing has been much appreciated. She was almost overcome by the surprise and for a time struggled to find words to express her appreciation of the kindness of her friends.

The evening was spent in singing and music and refreshments were served.

Ladies Guild

The Ladies Guild of the Episcopal church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Gemmell.

Congregational Aid

The Ladies Aid society of the First Congregational church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. P. Slipp.

LADIES OF MACCABEES

To Have Their Installation of Officers
Wednesday Night, Deputy Com-
mander Fager Present

The Ladies of the Maccabees will have their formal installation of officers on Wednesday evening, the meeting being open to Lady Maccabees and their friends, each member being privileged to invite a guest or two. The Sir Knights of the Maccabees and their ladies are also invited.

The ceremonies will take place in the Citizens State bank hall, the new home of the Lady Maccabees. Mrs. Jessie Fager, State Deputy Commander, will install the officers. A luncheon will be served. Members should note that the business session preceding the installation starts at 7:30 sharp.

RECORD ATTENDANCE

Presbyterian Sunday School Has 212
Present—Play to be Given
Soon

The Presbyterian church Sunday school had a record attendance last Sunday when 212 were present, including 18 teachers. Only one was absent.

On Monday night, January 25, the Sunday school will give an entertainment in the church for the benefit of the building fund. The play bears the title of "Jerusha Bow's Family Album." Admission will be 5 and 10 cents.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Celebrating Birthdays of Mrs. C. E.
Haake, Stephen Gartner and
Mrs. Wilbur Smith

Mrs. C. E. Haake entertained a number of friends on the occasion of her birthday, January 11. A very pleasant time was had and a dainty luncheon was served. Mrs. Haake received many pretty gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen E. Gartner entertained a number of friends on January 16, it being Mr. Gartner's birthday. The evening was enjoyed by all. A sumptuous luncheon was served. Mr. Gartner received many presents.

Mrs. Wilbur Smith celebrated her birthday January 12 by inviting a number of friends. A very enjoyable time was spent and a dainty supper served. She was the recipient of many presents.

Entertain at "500"

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bonck, of Long Lake township, entertained at "500" on Monday evening. The out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. Holz, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sleeper and Martin Drake of Brainerd. The hostess served an oyster supper.

Methodist Ladies Aid

The Methodist Ladies Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. Edw. Anderson and Miss Bessie Paine at the home of Mrs. Anderson, 313 North Fifth street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. A 15 cent lunch will be served. All are welcome.

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.
WALLING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Two bottles sent free. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

OUCH! RUB BACKACHE,
STIFFNESS, LUMBAGO

Rub pain from your sore, lame back with a small trial bottle of old "St. Jacob's Oil"

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now listen! That's lumbago, sciatica or maybe from a strain, and you'll get relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacob's Oil." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on your back and out comes the pain. It is harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Lameness! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" from any drug store, and after using it just once, you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 60 years.—Advt.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. J. St. Cyr went to St. Paul this afternoon.

Mrs. L. E. Cameron and son went to Wadena this afternoon.

Mrs. M. T. Ryan went to Prairie du Chien, Wis., today to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. V. Allsbrow, of Melrose.

Mrs. George Hoerschel, the guest of Mrs. Joseph Leitner, left today for a visit of three months in San Francisco, Cal., and Portland, Ore.

Feldman-Plummer

Miss Alvina Marguerite Feldman, daughter of J. W. Feldman, of Northome, was married at 10 o'clock this morning to Mr. Chalmers Cameron Plummer, of Swan River, Manitoba, at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hagberg, Rev. W. J. Lowrie officiating.

The bridegroom met at an improvised altar of flowers and ferns and under a large wedding bell of emerald and pearls pledged their troth. Miss Agnes S. Sundine played the Lohengrin wedding march and later sang "A Perfect Day" and "Oh Promise Me."

The bride was attired in a suit of beige tulle brown velvet and broadcloth with marten fur trimmings and hat and muff to match. Her corsage bouquet was of lilies of the valley and orchids. She was attended by her sister, Miss Lillian Feldmann of International Falls, who wore a lace blouse and suit with a corsage bouquet of sweet peas and rosebuds.

Mr. Earl Plummer, of Elfros, Saskatchewan, Canada, a brother of the bridegroom, was the best man.

The rooms of the residence were beautifully decorated. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the Ideal hotel, covers being laid for twenty-one. The color scheme was yellow. Among the out of town guests were A. A. Feldmann, J. M. Feldmann and Edward Feldmann and daughter, of Northome.

The bridegroom is a prosperous young business man of Swan River, where he is engaged in the real estate business. He is a nephew of P. B. Nettleton, of this city. The bride is a charming and accomplished young lady who has many friends in this city and Northome. The happy couple left on the afternoon train for the east where they will spend their honeymoon.



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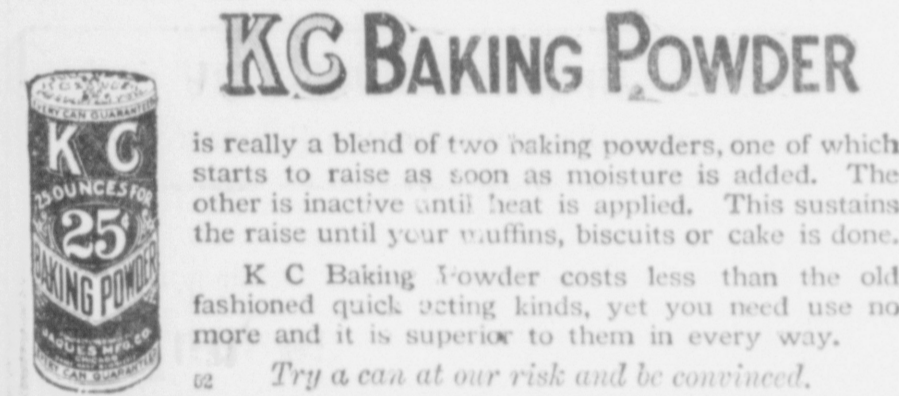


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A PLEASANT SURPRISE

Mrs. Nels Johnson Presented With Brooch Set With Pearls Monday Evening at Choir Practice

Mrs. Nels Johnson and brother, Will Anderson, were pleasantly surprised on Monday evening at choir practice at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Fullerton and the assembled friends, including the elders and trustee and their wives of the First Presbyterian church presented Mrs. Johnson with a brooch set with pearls.

Mrs. Johnson has taken part in many services of the church and her beautiful singing has been much appreciated. She was almost overcome by the surprise and for a time struggled to find words to express her appreciation of the kindness of her friends.

The evening was spent in singing and music and refreshments were served.

Ladies Guild

The Ladies Guild of the Episcopal church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Gemmell.

Congregational Aid

The Ladies Aid society of the First Congregational church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. P. Shipp.

LADIES OF MACCABEES

To Have Their Installation of Officers Wednesday Night, Deputy Commander Fager Present

The Ladies of the Maccabees will have their formal installation of officers on Wednesday evening, the meeting being open to Lady Maccabees and their friends, each member being privileged to invite a guest or two. The Sir Knights of the Maccabees and their ladies are also invited.

The ceremonies will take place in the Citizens State bank hall, the new home of the Lady Maccabees. Mrs. Jessie Fager, State Deputy Commander, will install the officers. A luncheon will be served. Members should note that the business session preceding the installation starts at 7:30 sharp.

RECORD ATTENDANCE

Presbyterian Sunday School Has 212 Present—Play to be Given Soon

The Presbyterian church Sunday school had a record attendance last Sunday when 212 were present, including 18 teachers. Only one was absent.

On Monday night, January 25, the Sunday school will give an entertainment in the church for the benefit of the building fund. The play bears the title of "Jerusha Bow's Family Album." Admission will be 5 and 10 cents.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Celebrating Birthdays of Mrs. C. E. Haake, Stephen Gartner and Mrs. Wilbur Smith

Mrs. C. E. Haake entertained a number of friends on the occasion of her birthday, January 11. A very pleasant time was had and a dainty luncheon was served. Mrs. Haake received many pretty gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen E. Gartner entertained a number of friends on January 16, it being Mr. Gartner's birthday. The evening was enjoyed by all. A sumptuous luncheon was served. Mr. Gartner received many presents.

Mrs. Wilbur Smith celebrated her birthday January 12 by inviting a number of friends. A very enjoyable time was spent and a dainty supper served. She was the recipient of many presents.

Entertain at "500"

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bouck, of Long Lake township, entertained at "500" on Monday evening. The out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. Holz, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sleeper and Martin Drake of Brainerd. The hostess served an oyster supper.

Methodist Ladies Aid

The Methodist Ladies Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. Edw. Anderson and Miss Bessie Paine at the home of Mrs. Anderson, 313 North Fifth street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. A 15 cent lunch will be served. All are welcome.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. J. St. Cyr went to St. Paul this afternoon.

Mrs. L. E. Cameron and son went to Wadena this afternoon.

Mrs. M. T. Ryan went to Prairie du Chien, Wis., today to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. V. Allsbrow, of Melrose.

Mrs. George Hoershel, the guest of Mrs. Joseph Leitner, left today for a visit of three months in San Francisco, Cal., and Portland, Ore.

Feldman-Plummer

Miss Alvina Marguerite Feldman, daughter of J. W. Feldman, of Northome, was married at 10 o'clock this morning to Mr. Chalmers Cameron Plummer, of Swan River, Manitoba, at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hagberg, Rev. W. J. Lowrie officiating.

The bridal couple met at an improvised altar of flowers and ferns and under a large wedding bell of emerald and ferns plighted their troth. Miss Agnes S. Sundine played the Lohengrin wedding march and later sang "A Perfect Day" and "Oh Promise Me."

The bride was attired in a suit of beige tulle brown velvet and broadcloth with marten for trimmings and hat and muff to match. Her corsage bouquet was of lilies of the valley and orchids. She was attended by her sister, Miss Lillian Feldmann of International Falls, who wore a lace blouse and suit with a corsage bouquet of sweet peas and rosebuds.

Mr. Earl Plummer, of Ellers, Saskatchewan, Canada, a brother of the bridegroom, was the best man.

The rooms of the residence were beautifully decorated. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the Ideal hotel, covers being laid for twenty-one. The color scheme was yellow. Among the out of town guests were A. A. Feldmann, J. M. Feldmann and Edward Feldmann and daughter, of Northome.

The bridegroom is a prosperous young business man of Swan River, where he is engaged in the real estate business. He is a nephew of P. B. Nettleton, of this city. The bride is a charming and accomplished young lady who has many friends in this city and Northome. The happy couple left on the afternoon train for the east where they will spend their honeymoon.



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